Career Clusters Interest Survey

Circle the items in each box that best describe you. Make as many or as few circles in each box as you choose. Add up the number of circles in each box. Find the three boxes with the largest number of circles. Find the corresponding Career Clusters on the pages immediately following this survey to see which Career Clusters you may want to explore.

1	Activities that describe what I like to do: Learn how things grow and stay alive Make the best use of the earth's natural resources Hunt/fish Protect the environment Be outdoors in all kinds of weather Plan, budget and keep records Operate machines and keep them in good repair	Personal qualities that describe me: Self-reliant Nature lover Physically active Planner Creative problem solver	School subjects that I liked: Math Life Sciences Earth Sciences Chemistry Agriculture	Total number of circles
2	Activities that describe what I like to do: Read and follow blueprints and instructions Picture in my mind what a finished product looks like Work with my hands Perform work that requires precise results Solve technical problems Visit and learn from beautiful, historic or interesting buildings Follow logical, step-by-step procedures	Personal Qualities that describe me: Curious Good at following directions Pay attention to detail Good at visualizing possibilities Patient and persistent	School subjects that I liked: Math Drafting Physical Sciences Construction Trades Electrical Trade Heat, Air Conditioning, Refrigeration or Technology	Total number of circles
3	Activities that describe what I like to do: Use my imagination to communicate new information to others Perform in front of others Read and write Play a musical instrument Perform creative, artistic activities Use video and recording technology Design brochures and posters	Personal qualities that describe me: Creative and imaginative Good communicator or vocabulary Curious about new technology Relate well to feelings and thoughts of others Determined /tenacious	School subjects that I liked: Art/Graphic Design Music Speech and Drama Journalism and Literature Audiovisual Technologies	Total number of circles

4	Activities that describe what I like to do: Perform routine, organized activities but can be flexible Work with numbers and detailed information Be the leader in a group Make business contracts with people Work with computer programs Create reports and communicate ideas Plan my work and follow instructions without close supervision	Personal Qualities that describe me: Organized Practical and logical Patient Tactful Responsible	School subjects that I liked: Computer applications Accounting Math English Economics	Total number of circles
5	Activities that describe what I like to do: Communicate with different types of people Help others with their homework or to learn new things Go to school Direct and plan activities for other Handle several responsibilities at once Acquire new information Help people overcome their challenges	Personal Qualities that describe me: Friendly Decision maker Helpful Innovative/inquisitive Good listener	School subjects that I liked: Language Arts Social Studies Math Science Psychology	Total number of circles
6	Activities that describe what I like to do: Work with numbers Work to meet a deadline Make predictions based on existing facts Have a framework of rules by which to operate Analyze financial information and interpret it to others Handle money with accuracy and reliability Take pride in the way I dress and look	Personal Qualities that describe me: Trustworthy Orderly Self-confident Logical Methodical and efficient	School subjects that I liked: Accounting Math Economics Banking/Financial Services Business law	Total number of circles

7	Activities that describe what I like to do: Be involved in politics Negotiate, defend and debate ideas and topics Plan activities and work cooperatively with others Work with details Perform a variety of duties that may change often Analyze information and interpret it to others Travel and see things that are new to me	Personal Qualities that describe me: Good communicator Competitive Service-minded Well organized Problem solver	School subjects that I liked: Government Language Arts History Math Foreign Language	Total number of circles
8	Activities that describe what I like to do: Work under pressure Help sick people and animals Make decisions based on logic and information Participate in health and science classes Respond quickly and calmly in emergencies Work as a member of a team Follow guidelines precisely and meet strict standards of accuracy	Personal Qualities that describe me: Compassionate and caring Good at following directions Conscientious and careful Patient Good listener	School subjects that I liked: Biological Sciences Chemistry Math Occupational Health Language Arts	Total number of circles
9	Activities that describe what I like to do: Investigate new places and activities Work with all ages and types of people Organize activities in which other people enjoy themselves Have a flexible schedule Help people make up their minds Communicate easily, tactfully and courteously Learn about other cultures	Personal Qualities that describe me: Tactful Self-motivated Works well with others Outgoing Slow to anger	School subjects that I liked: Language Arts /Speech Foreign Language Social Sciences Marketing Food Services	Total number of circles

10	Activities that describe what I like to do: Care about people, their needs and their problems Participate in community service and volunteering Listen to other people's viewpoints Help people be at their best Work with people from preschool age to old age Think of new ways to do things Make friends with different kinds of people	Personal Qualities that describe me: Good communicator and listener Caring Non-materialistic Intuitive and logical Non-judgmental	School subjects that I liked: Language Arts Psychology /Sociology Family and Consumer Sciences Finance Foreign Language	Total number of circles
11	Activities that describe what I like to do: Work with computers Reason clearly and logically to solve complex problems Use machines, techniques and processes Read technical material and diagrams and solve technical problems Adapt to change Play video games and figure out how they work Concentrate for long periods without being distracted	Personal Qualities that describe me: Logical/analytical thinker See details in the big picture Persistent Good concentration skills Precise and accurate	School subjects that I liked: Math Science Computer Tech Communications Graphic Design	Total number of circles
12	Activities that describe what I like to do: Work under pressure or in the face of danger Make decisions based on my own observations Interact with other people Be in positions of authority Respect rules and regulations Debate and win arguments Observe and analyze people's behavior	Personal Qualities that describe me: Adventurous Dependable Community-minded Decisive Optimistic	School subjects that I liked: Language Arts Psychology /Sociology Government/History Law Enforcement First Aid/First Responder	Total number of circles

13	Activities that describe what I like to do: Work with my hands and learn that way Put things together Do routine, organized and accurate work Perform activities and produce tangible results Apply math to work out solutions Use hand and power tools and operate equipment Visualize objects in three	Personal Qualities that describe me: Practical Observant Physically active Step-by-step thinker Coordinated	School subjects that I liked: Math/Geometry Chemistry Trade and Industry Physics Language Arts	Total number of circles
14	dimensions from flat drawings Activities that describe what I like to do: Shop and go to the mall Be in charge Make displays and promote ideas Give presentations and enjoy public speaking Persuade people to buy products or to participate in activities Communicate my ideas to other people Take advantage of opportunities to make extra money	Personal Qualities that describe me: Enthusiastic Competitive Creative Self-motivated Persuasive	School subjects that I liked: Language Arts Math Business Education /Marketing Economics Computer Applications	Total number of circles
15	Activities that describe what I like to do: Interpret formulas Find the answers to questions Work in a laboratory Figure out how things work and investigate new things Explore new technology Experiment to find the best way to do something Pay attention to details and help things be precise	Personal Qualities that describe me: Detail-oriented Inquisitive Objective Methodical Mechanically inclined	School subjects that I liked: Math Science Drafting Electronics Technical classes	Total number of circles
16	Activities that describe what I like to do: Travel See well and have quick reflexes Solve mechanical problems Design efficient processes Anticipate needs and prepare to meet them Drive or ride Move things from one place to another	Personal Qualities that describe me: Realistic Mechanical Coordinated Observant Planner	School subjects that I liked: Math Trade and Industry Physical Sciences Economics Foreign Language	Total number of circles

The Sixteen Career Clusters

1	Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources	The production, processing, marketing, distribution, financing and development of agricultural commodities and resources, including food, fiber, wood products, natural resources, horticulture and other plant and animal products/resources.
2	Architecture and Construction	Careers in designing, planning, managing, building and maintaining the built environment.
3	Arts, Audiovisual Technology and Communications	Designing, producing, exhibiting, performing, writing and publishing multimedia content, including visual and performing arts and design, journalism and entertainment services.
4	Business Management and Administration	Planning, organizing, directing and evaluation business functions essential to efficient and productive business operations. Career opportunities are available in every sector of the economy.
5	Education and Training	Planning, managing and providing education and training services and related learning support services.
6	Finance	Planning, services for financial and investment planning, banking, insurance and business financial management.
7	Government and Public Administration	Executing governmental functions to include governance; national security; foreign service; planning; revenue and taxation; regulation and management and administration at the local, state and federal levels.
8	Health Science	Planning, managing and providing therapeutic services, diagnostic services, health informatics, support services and biotechnology and research development.
9	Hospitality and Tourism	Management, marketing and operations of restaurants and other food services, lodging, attractions and recreating events and travel-related services.
10	Human Services	Preparing individuals for employment in career pathways that relate to families and human needs.

11	Information Technology	Design, development, support and management of hardware, software multimedia and systems integration services.
12	Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security	Planning, managing and providing legal, public safety, protective services and homeland security, including professional and technical support services.
13	Manufacturing	Planning, managing and performing the processing of materials into intermediate or final products and related professional and technical support activities such as production planning and control, maintenance and manufacturing/process engineering.
14	Marketing	Planning, managing and performing marketing activities to reach organization objectives.
15	Science Technology, Engineering and Mathematics	Planning, managing and providing scientific research and professional technical services, including laboratory and testing services, and research and development services.
16	Transportation, Distribution and Logistics	Planning, management and movement of people, materials and goods by road, pipeline, air, rail and water, and related professional and technical support services such as transportation infrastructure planning and management, logistics services, mobile equipment and facility maintenance.